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Subject:

Patent Application

Inventors:

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Title:

PIPELINE CONTROLLER FOR PROVIDING INDEPENDENT EXECUTION

BETWEEN THE PRELIMINARY AND ADVANCED STAGES OF A

SYNCHRONOUS PIPELINE

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Enclosed herewith are the following papers, comprising an application for a patent as identified above:

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Declaration and Power of Attorney 4.

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Respectfully submitted,

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